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Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 or 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or protests must be filed in accordance with Section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceedings. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room.

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*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP99-172-000]

#### Northern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

December 4, 1998.

Take notice that on December 1, 1998, Northern Natural Gas Company (Northern), tendered for filing changes in its FERC Gas Tariff, Fifth Revised Volume No. 1 the following tariff sheets, proposed to be effective January 1, 1999:

47 Revised Sheet No. 50  
47 Revised Sheet No. 51  
43 Revised Sheet No. 53

Northern states that this filing establishes the 1998-1999 system Balancing Agreement (SBA) cost recovery surcharge to be effective January 1, 1999.

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[Docket No. RP99-173-000]

#### Northern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

December 4, 1998.

Take notice that on December 1, 1998, Northern Natural Gas Company (Northern), tendered for filing changes in its FERC Gas Tariff, Fifth Revised Volume No. 1.

Northern states that the filing revises the current Stranded Account No. 858 Surcharge which is designed to recover costs incurred by Northern related to its contracts with third-party pipelines. Therefore, Northern has filed 46 Revised Sheet No. 50 and 51 and the 42 Revised Sheet No. 53 to be effective January 1, 1999.

Northern states that copies of this filing were served upon the Company's customers and interested state commissions.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP99-175-000]

#### Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

December 4, 1998.

Take notice that on December 1, 1998, Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line Company (Panhandle) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, the tariff sheets listed on Appendix A to the filing, to become effective January 1, 1999.

Panhandle states that this filing removes from its currently effective rates the Miscellaneous Stranded Cost Reservation Volumetric Surcharge applicable to Rate Schedules IT and EIT for the reconciliation recovery period established in Docket No. RP98-75-000. The current volumetric surcharge was approved by a Commission letter order issued December 24, 1997. The reconciliation recovery period will terminate on December 31, 1998. Accordingly, Panhandle proposes to remove the 0.80¢ per Dt. Section 18.14 Miscellaneous Stranded Cost Volumetric Surcharge.

Panhandle further states that this filing reinstates the Carryover Second GSR Settlement Interruptible Rate Component applicable to interruptible transportation service provided under Rate Schedules IT and EIT. The Second GSR Settlement Interruptible Rate Component was established in a April 18, 1996 Stipulation and Agreement in Docket No. RP95-411-000 (April 18, 1996 Settlement). Accordingly, pursuant to Article I, Section 3(f)(ii) of the April 18, 1996 Settlement, Panhandle is proposing to implement a 1.11¢ per Dt. Carryover Second GSR Settlement Interruptible Rate Component to be in effect during the twelve month Second GSR Settlement Carryover Period commencing January 1, 1999.

Panhandle states that copies of this filing are being served on all affected customers and applicable state regulatory agencies.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission,